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In re Application of

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: DECISION GRANTING PETITION

Application No. 09/590,584

: UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

Filed: June 8, 2000

For: METHODS FOR AUTOMATICALLY

PIPELINING LOOPS

This is in response to the "Request For Reconsideration Of Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a)," filed July 3, 2002.

The petition is **granted**.

Petitioner has shown that the non-signing inventor has refused to join in the filing of the above-identified application.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status. As provided in Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the Declaration. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

Please note, the "Revocation of Prior Powers of Attorney, Appointment of New Attorneys of Record and Change of Correspondence Address," submitted January 30, 2002, cannot be entered or made of record. A statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is required and must accompany the aforementioned "Revocation of Prior Powers of Attorney, Appointment of New Attorneys of Record and Change of Correspondence Address." A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address noted on the "Revocation of Prior Powers of Attorney, Appointment of New Attorneys of Record and Change of Correspondence Address." However, until otherwise instructed, all future correspondence regarding this application will be mailed solely to the address of record.

The file is being forwarded to Technology Center 2100.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-9200.

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